

Only a Funny Story

An ex-farmer who was running a thrifty little bank was asked by a friend how he happened to go into the banking business. He explained as follows:

"Well, I just rented a vacant store room and put up a bank sign. First day a fellow came along and left a couple hundred dollars with me. Next day another fellow left a couple hundred and by that time I had enough confidence in it that I put in a couple hundred myself." We have confidence enough in this community to invest all our capital and surplus here and we try to earn the confidence of the entire community by being fair and square in all our dealings.

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Town and County News

Christmas goods at E. C. Grizzard's. 47-1t

Mrs. Edwin N. Hailey is visiting in Nashville.

B. O. Palmer was a Memphis visitor this week.

Mrs. W. M. Wright spent Tuesday in Paris.

James Johnson, is in Chicago this week on business.

Mrs. W. E. Hailey is visiting in Nashville this week.

Miss Kathleen Lancaster is visiting in Nashville this week.

Mrs. Sebe J. Chambers, of Buena Vista, is in Huntingdon this week.

Mrs. A. E. Hall spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Jonesboro, Ark.

Edwin Reginald, of McKenzie, spent Thanksgiving with Fonville Freeman.

Miss Lizzie Mitchell, of McKenzie, is here at the telephone office this week.

Mrs. W. J. Noell and children spent Thanksgiving in Medon, with her sister.

Mrs. Walter Cozort, of McKenzie, was in Huntingdon shopping Tuesday.

Rockland old-fashioned sugar-house molasses \$1.00 the gallon at E. C. Grizzard's 47-1t

The Parent-Teachers will meet this (Friday) afternoon at 3 p. m. in the High School.

Mrs. K. G. Priest returned home the first of the week, after visiting at Fulton, Ky.

Mrs. G. W. Powley and Miss Mildred Greene, of Vale, were Huntingdon shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Black entertained with a Thanksgiving dinner. Covers were laid for nine.

Misses Ara Stafford and Nora Williams, of near McKenzie, spent the week end here with Mrs. Dave Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearson, of Martin, were guests of Mrs. Mary Johnson at the Johnson Hotel last Sunday.

Miss G. G. Joyner and children spent Sunday in Trezvant, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McAuley.

White Frost flour for Christmas cakes. None better. Prices \$1.60 for a twenty-four pound sack.—S. W. Johnson.

Miss Bertha Edwards is in Buena Vista this week teaching music and literary studies for Miss Clements who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Priest and Mrs. James Johnson motored to Jackson Monday night to see Al G. Fields' minstrels.

J. W. Williams, took up his work as a member of the Huntingdon High School faculty last Tuesday, and started off well with his duties. Mr. Williams has had much experience in the school room and will do fine work in our school here.

W. H. Bicknell has sold his store at Terry to J. A. Brown. Mr. Bicknell took a farm in as part consideration. The price of the farm was \$2,500. Mr. Bicknell will leave soon for Indiana, to visit his father. He will make the trip in a car.

Rev. E. B. Johnson, of Memphis, will preach at the Presbyterian church in Huntingdon next Sunday morning for the pastor, Rev. C. C. Hines, who is attending the conference of "The New Era Movement" of the Presbyterian church, being held in Dallas, Texas.

Will Sutton, of the Terry community, who moved to Bemis about two month ago has returned and bought a farm from Chas. Jones near Atwood. Mr. Sutton will move to his new home soon and Mr. Jones will move with his family to Mississippi, where they will reside in the future.

Dr. J. W. Ownby, who is now farming near Buena Vista, was in town a few days ago, brought to the office a sweet potato that weighed four pounds and two ounces. This is the best potato we have seen this season. Dr. Ownby says he grew a fine lot of the tapers this season.

Green Berry Pinckley, who died at Dyersburg last week, was well known to a large number of our older citizens in this county, where he lived for many years. He was about 87 years old, and died from illness incident to old age. He is the father of Mrs. W. N. Ward who lives near this place. The deceased was a clever man and had many friends.

Miss Effie Chambers left last Saturday for Anniston, Ala., in response to a telegram received, stating that her brother, Elon Chambers, who is in camp there, had pneumonia. Receiving a second telegram Sunday night that he was worse, his father, Sebe J. Chambers, motored to Hollow Rock and caught the early train for Anniston. The last word received at this writing stated that Elon was some better. His friends here hope for him a speedy recovery.

Sid Tate Dead

News has been received here of the death of Sid Tate at his home at Cairo, Ill. Mr. Tate lived in Huntingdon about twelve years ago and carried the mail on the star route from here to Cedar Grove. He is a grandson of Elisha Tate, with whom he resided at that time. Mr. Tate's death was caused from flu, and his wife and four children are all sick with the same disease. He was a member of the Baptist church and had been for nine years, and was an employe of the R. C. Fisher Produce Co. His remains were brought to the Holly Leaf community, in this county, for interment, being accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tate. Joe Tate, of Huntingdon, went Tuesday to attend the funeral.

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REV. G. M. HAMMOND

Rev. G. M. Hammond, of Nashville, will speak in the Methodist church of Huntingdon on Friday, December 20, 1918, at 7 p. m.

The above announcement is sufficient notice that the people of Huntingdon and Carroll county are shortly to be favored with the privilege of hearing a man well worthy of our time. To the people of Huntingdon he needs no introduction as he has been here in other days.

Mr. Hammond has been field secretary for the Tennessee Anti-Saloon League for the past five years; for the last twelve months he has been one of the corps of speakers for the National Anti-Saloon League. He has traveled and spoken in the east, the west and south, and has been heard with pleasure and profit by the people of a dozen states of the union. Mr. Hammond is an orator of no ordinary proportions and presents his subject in a most vivid, powerful and convincing manner.

Let us all turn out and hear Mr. Hammond on the Indictment of the World's Greatest Criminal and thus keep in the procession of the onward march of nation-wide prohibition.

Col. N. C. Swearingen

Col. N. C. Swearingen, who at one time was associated with D. A. Mays in business at McKenzie, but has resided for several years in Greenfield, died at Morristown, Tuesday of last week. His death was from acute indigestion and was very sudden. He was a traveling salesman and was at Morristown on business for his house when taken sick. Mr. Swearingen recently buried a son, Ernest Swearingen, and he had a son wounded in France, and we understand, a daughter lost her home by fire a short time ago. The bereaved family have a host of friends in this county who sympathize with them in their sad affliction.

Impressive Service

A very impressive and beautiful Thanksgiving service was held at the Methodist church Thanksgiving morning. Rev. C. C. Hines delivered the sermon, and several interesting talks were made. A special musical program was rendered. A very fair crowd was present and the spirit of the occasion was heartily entered into by the audience as well as those participating on the program.

UTLEY—LOWRANCE

Mr. Joe Utley and Miss Olive Lowrance, with a few special friends motored to the home of Esq. N. A. Orr, Sunday evening, where they were united in marriage at 6 o'clock. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Utley of Westport and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lawrence of Buena Vista. Their friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

HELPING CELEBRATE

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McAdams near McKenzie received a letter from their son, Ronnie, somewhere in France that was written on the day the armistice was signed. He said he was celebrating the end of the war. Never had spent such a happy time. He was well but still working in the hospital.

MISSING IN ACTION

Monday's published casualty list contained the names of Henry S. Bryant, of Atwood, and Gene M. Smith, of Wildersville, as missing in action. We have at this time, been unable to learn anything about these parties except the mere report that they are missing as published in the papers.

Died at Camp

News was received here Tuesday that Rufus McLenore, a young soldier, had died at Camp Wadsworth, Spartansburg, S. C. His home was at Lavinia, in this county, and he left here for camp a few months ago. A very sad incident is connected with the death. When notified of his serious illness, his mother and two brothers went to Camp Wadsworth to see him. They were all taken with influenza and pneumonia, the same malady with which he was afflicted. The wife of one of the young men, and another brother at once went to Spartansburg to care for the sick. The disease proved fatal to the young soldier, and his remains will be brought home as soon as

arranged for interment at the Lavinia cemetery. This is a fine young man, a member of a most excellent family, and the community is very much distressed over the afflictions of the family.

Shipping Potatoes

The sweet potato shipping season opened at McKenzie a month earlier this year than usual. Already ten or twelve cars have been shipped and a dozen will be shipped this week. Potatoes are bringing \$1.75 per bushel and each car holds between six and seven hundred bushels, which means that the growers are realizing a nice profit on the crop. Farmers are planning for an increased sweet potato acreage next season.

Select Gifts Now

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Undertaker R. F. Dilday says, there were only four deaths in Huntingdon and community during the month of November. This was the smallest number to die that month in ten years. This is rather remarkable in view of the fact that there have been so many deaths from flu and pneumonia which has proved a very serious epidemic most everywhere.